

**YESTERDAY'S WEATHER**  
O. H. WEATHER BUREAU,  
Dec. 24, 1917.—Last twenty-  
four hours: rainfall, .01.  
Temperature: 70 to 85; Max.  
78. Weather, clear.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1917.—SEMI-WEEKLY.

**LATEST CABLED SUGAR QUOTATIONS**  
Cents Dollars  
No. 1 Centrifugal H. T. per lb. per ton  
Price, Hawaiian basis... 5.52 \$116.40  
Last previous quoti-  
tion... 5.78 \$134.40

WHOLE NUMBER 4698

## "ME UND GOTT" IN PARTNERSHIP AGAIN AGAINST UNIVERSE

### Events of 1917 Prove That God Is Avowed Ally of Germany, Declares the Kaiser

### WAR LORD CHEERS HIS ARMIES BEFORE VERDUN

### Calls His Warriors Supermen and Extols Unparalleled Heroism That Brought Russian and Italian Victories

AMSTERDAM, December 25.—(Associated Press)—The God of Creation is the direct and avowed ally of the German people, as plainly evidenced in the events of this year, and with God's help the German army will batter in the doors of those enemies who refuse to make peace and will force peace upon them.

Such was the substance of an address made by the Kaiser to his army north of Verdun on Saturday, an address to inspire his soldiers in the event of his reported peace terms, to be announced today, being refused.

The Kaiser visited the Verdun front on Friday, according to Berlin reports, addressing the troops there and inspecting their disposition.

#### VERDUN NOT IN VAIN

"But for the calm and heroic warriors on this western front, the enormous deployment of German armies on the east front and against Italy would have been impossible," he said. "The fighter on this western line has most heroically exposed his body to the blows of the enemy so that his brother on the Isonzo front and on the Dvina might be able to storm forward from victory to victory. The fearful battles that you have fought on these bloody hills of Verdun have not been fought in vain, for the work you have so heroically performed has created new foundations for the conduct of the war."

On Saturday, addressing his second army, the Kaiser made an address that is being prominently printed in all the Berlin papers.

#### "GOTT" A PARTNER AGAIN

"We have been fully made aware of the events of the German western army, we throughout the Fatherland, and you are fully aware of the powerful blows that have been delivered by your brothers and comrades in the east, which have been able to bring about a greater decision. On that eastern line and on the Italian front there is not a man, not an officer, not a general, wherever spoken to, who does not frankly admit that the armies on the east have been able to accomplish what they have only because their comrades on the west have stood up to a man against the powerful enemy before them.

"You have accomplished the most gigantic feat ever accomplished by Germans. It is one without a parallel in all the history of what has been accomplished by the German army. I do not boast when I say that. It is a fact I state, and nothing else.

"The admiration you have earned shall be your reward, and at the same time your pride, although there is nothing to be surprised at in what you have accomplished. You fought for the Fatherland.

#### AN AVOWED ALLY ABOVE

"The year 1917, with its great battles, has proved that the German nation has in the Lord of Creation above an unconditional and an avowed ally, on whom we may confidently rely. Without his aid, all that we have done would have been in vain, because I know that each man of you accomplished superhuman deeds and fought with divine aid.

"The feeling may have been frequently with you, 'If only we had something behind us; if only we had some relief'. But that something appeared; that relief came. It came as a direct result of the blows struck in the east, where it seems that the storms of war are for the present silenced. God grant that they have been silenced forever! We do not know, however, what is still in store for us, even there.

#### IRON FIST AND SHINING SWORD

"But you have seen how, during this last of the four years of the war, where God's hand has visibly prevailed, where God has punished treachery and rewarded heroic perseverance. You have seen this and you may look forward with renewed confidence to the future, whatever it may unfold.

"If our enemies do not want peace, then we must bring peace to the world by battering in with the iron fist and the shining sword the doors of those who will not have peace."

## Christmas Greetings Forwarded

### Messages of Cheer From Home Are Sent To Soldiers and Sailors In France

WASHINGTON, December 25.—(Associated Press)—Messages of good cheer and with Christmas greetings were sent by Secretary of War Baker and Secretary of Navy Daniels to the soldiers and sailors of the United States who are now in France fighting or preparing to fight the Germans on land and in the other instance on the sea, making commerce more safe and all enlisted in the common cause of preserving democracy to the world.

In the messages sent the secretaries said that they spoke for the government, for the people and for the families and friends of the men in the service of their country and to one and all of them were extended Christmas greetings.

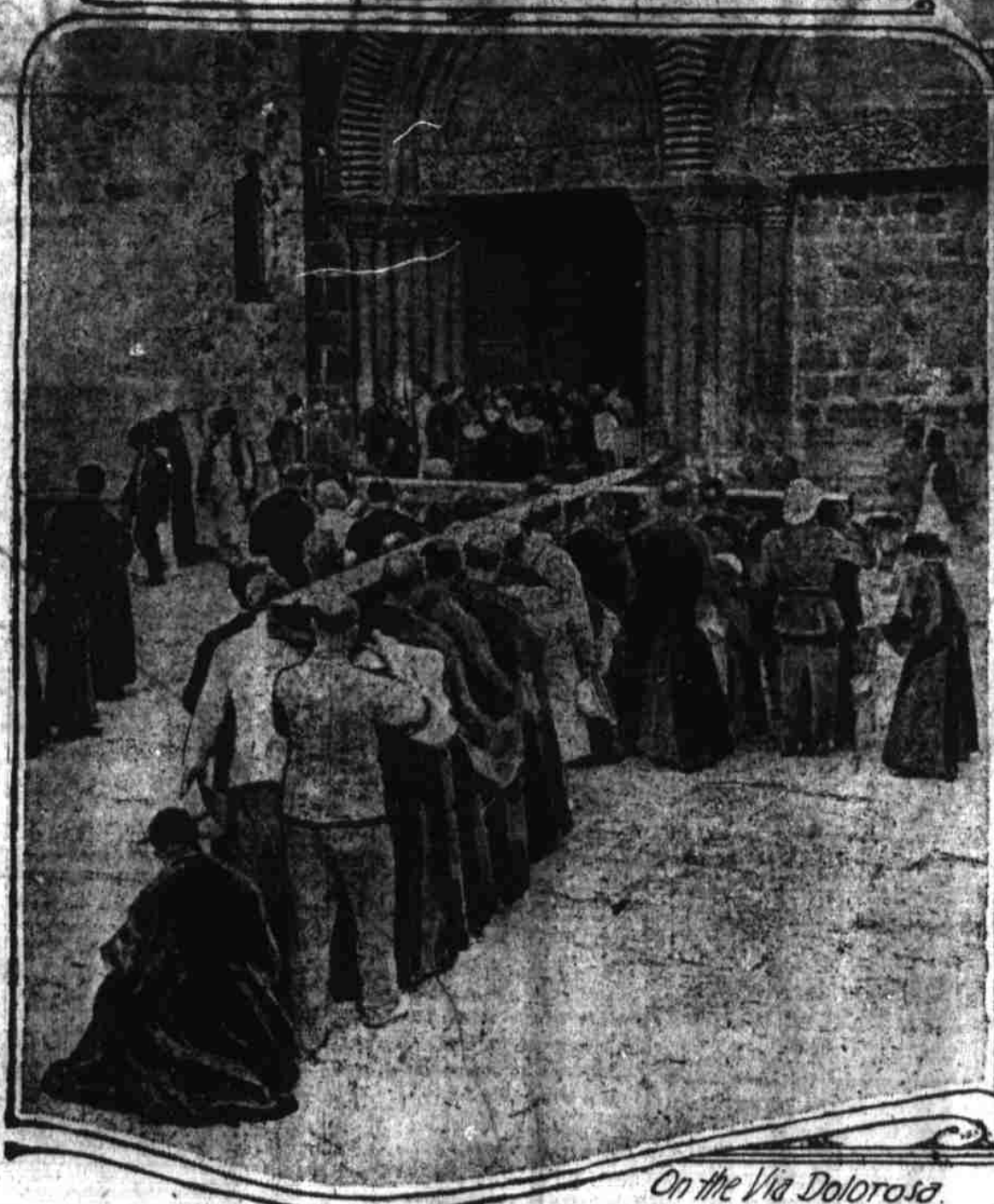
### WILL GIVE UP OFFICE TO HIS DEFEATED RIVAL

PHOENIX, Ariz., December 24.—(Associated Press)—George W. P. Hunt, declared by the supreme court the governor-elect of Arizona, announced today that he will retire tomorrow at ten o'clock in favor of Thomas Campbell, who was declared the governor by the lower court, following the election contest, and has been occupying the office.

PRESENT day structures guarding the birthplace and the Tomb of the Savior. The upper photograph herewith shows the interior of the Roman Catholic church erected over the Grotto of the Nativity at Bethlehem, a few miles from Jerusalem but still in the hands of the Moslems. The lower photograph, taken in peace time, shows a group of French pilgrims who have borne a cross over the Via Dolorosa to the entrance of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre.



The Place Where Christ Was Born



On the Via Dolorosa

## PLANNED TO DESTROY BIG COAST PORTS

### Cleverest Spy Working Is Landed—Agents Have Evidence

### WAS ASSOCIATE OF HINDU PLOTTERS

### Been Watched For a Long Time—Nabbed When Wanted

SAN FRANCISCO, December 25.—(Associated Press)—With plans worked out for the destruction of government works, docks and shipping in most of the principal ports of the Pacific Coast, Franz Schulenberg, a former worker under Captain von Brincken, Naval Attaché von Papen and Ram Chandra, now on trial for violation of neutrality, has been caught by the federal secret service men and is now under arrest.

The capture of this man, with an indication of the evidence secured against him, was announced last night by the federal officials, who state that in Schulenberg they have one of the cleverest and most dangerous German spies and plotters working along the Pacific Coast.

The authorities have been keeping Schulenberg under close surveillance for many months and have traced some of his activities back to the German embassy at Washington and to the office of the German consul general here. Evidence is also in the hands of the authorities to show that he was an intimate friend of Ram Chandra, the Hindu plotter, and working with many of the defendants in the conspiracy case now before Judge Van Fleet.

His latest plans, upon which he has been at work since the declaration of war against Germany, were aimed at the destruction of the shipping at this port, at Seattle, at San Pedro and elsewhere on the Pacific.

He is being held pending the issuance of a presidential warrant.

## ROOSEVELT FAVORS STOPPING LIQUOR

### Former President Writes Letter Saying He Is For Prohibition During War

WASHINGTON, December 25.—(Associated Press)—Colonel Roosevelt is strongly in favor of absolute prohibition of the liquor traffic for the period of the war and has so informed Clarence Wilson of the National Temperance Board in a letter which the latter has given to the press for publication with permission of the former President.

Roosevelt considers prohibition for the wartime period a good thing not only as a means of conserving food supplies but of conserving energy as well, and for the promotion of efficiency in all branches of the service among the industrial workers and the business world, as well as for the protection of the home.

### REPRESENTATIVE DIES FOLLOWING OPERATION

AKRON, Ohio, December 24.—(Associated Press)—Representative Ellsworth R. Bathrick of this city died today following an operation for gallstones. He was a Democrat, member of the house naval affairs committee, and had served in several sessions of congress.

## FRIEND OF HAWAII IN SENATE DIES

### Francis G. Newlands of Nevada Who Introduced Annexation Resolution Expires

WASHINGTON, December 25.—(Associated Press)—Senator Francis G. Newlands, who introduced the resolution under which Hawaii was annexed to the United States died unexpectedly of heart failure last night. He was sixty-nine years of age. Senator Newlands has represented Nevada in the upper house of congress since 1903 when he was elected to the senate after a hard fight, succeeding Senator Jones who had represented his state in the senate for thirty years. Before that time he was the Nevada representative in the lower house for three terms.

He was born in Mississippi but got his schooling at Yale and Columbia. Leaving the District of Columbia, where he had been admitted to the bar, Newlands went to California and after practicing law there until 1886 he fell into luck that changed the course of his life. Upon the death of Senator Sharon of Nevada Newlands was chosen as one of the trustees of the estate. In order to attend to his duties in that connection he had to remove to Nevada. On his arrival there he immediately plunged into the silver question. Nevada was producing immense quantities of the white metal and young Newlands soon became her champion in an effort to keep up the price of that commodity and thus insure the continued prosperity of the state. For years he was vice-chairman of the national silver committee. This put him into congress and he has since served in the 53d, 54th, and 55th congresses. Although his championing of the silver cause for his state led to but ill success he had better luck with irrigation and has done much toward the development of the arid regions of Nevada and the west generally.

### NEWSPAPER APOLOGIZES, MAY PUBLISH ONCE MORE

AMSTERDAM, December 24.—(Associated Press)—The Socialist paper, Vorwaerts, which was suddenly suspended by the German government, has resumed publication. In its first issue it announces that the suspension was due to the criticism which it made of the system furnishing food to those invalidated by the war, the criticism being printed under the heading "Let Them Beg." In this connection it prints prominently the defense made by Herr von Waldow, the food control chief.

### AIRCRAFT MECHANICS ASSEMBLE IN FRANCE

AMERICAN CAMP IN FRANCE, December 24.—(Associated Press)—Several thousand aero mechanics are now steadily refused to turn over to the new government the funds which were in her custody was yesterday convicted in a trial by court martial. She was sentenced to imprisonment until such time as she shall return the money to the government and ordered held up to public censure.

### BROTHERHOOD HEADS TO CONFER WITH WILSON

WASHINGTON, December 24.—(Associated Press)—President Wilson has summoned the chiefs and legislative agents of the four railroad brotherhoods to a conference to be held at the White House Thursday.

## BOLSHEVIKI CONVICT WOMAN EX-MINISTER

PETROGRAD, December 25.—(Associated Press)—Courtess Pannin, who was minister of education before the Bolshevik regime and since then has steadily refused to turn over to the new government the funds which were in her custody was yesterday convicted in a trial by court martial. She was sentenced to imprisonment until such time as she shall return the money to the government and ordered held up to public censure.

### WILSON IS SANTA CLAUS TO WHITE HOUSE HELP

WASHINGTON, December 24.—(Associated Press)—President Wilson plans to take Christmas dinner with his family and will enjoy a Christmas tree with them. Later he will distribute gifts to about fifty children near his golf club. He has given 125 turkeys to employees of the White House for Christmas.

### STREET CAR RUNS WILD AND KILLS SEVENTEEN

PITTSBURGH, December 24.—(Associated Press)—Running wild on a slope today, a street car jumped the rails and turned over. Seventeen are reported killed and many others injured.